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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
TOSHIYUKI ATSUMI, ET AL.)	Examiner: Shawquia Young
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Application No.: 10/519,807)	Group Art Unit: 1626
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Filed: December 29, 2004)	Confirmation No. 7325
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For: PROCESS FOR PREPARING 1,3-)	
BENZODIOXOLE-2-)	
SPIROCYCLOALKANE	:	
DERIVATIVE)	January 16, 2007

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Official Action dated December 15, 2006 (Paper No. 20061208) in the above-identified application, as follows.